

THE FAYETTE FALCON.

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Moscow

The people of this vicinity did themselves proud in the Centenary drive, easily raising their quota of the millions asked for.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Stevenson have returned from a trip through Georgia.

Dr. T. E. Sharp, presiding Elder for this District, occupied the pulpit Sunday at the local M. E. Church.

Misses Charline and Inez Rich are home from Jackson college.

The death Monday at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Pearce, of Will T. Lucas, removes from among us a man who had many friends over the county. Mr. Lucas was a quiet unassuming man who all his life had resided in Fayette County. But few of his friends realized that at the time of his death he was past 70 years, having been born in 1849. Mr. Lucas at the time of his last illness was book-keeper for the Modern Grocery Company of this place. Deceased leaves three sisters, Mrs. J. A. Pearce and Miss Vigilia Lucas of this town, and Mrs. Buford of near Somerville, each of whom have the sympathy of many acquaintances and friends in their sad hour. The remains were interred in Ashbury Cemetery where sleep loved ones gone on before.

Mrs. C. G. Taylor was taken to Memphis Saturday to undergo an operation for appendicitis. Reports from the patient thus far are favorable.

Alvin Sisco and Emil Guy are home from overseas to the delight of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Walter Carr and little daughter, Ruby, have been visiting friends in Little Rock the week gone.

At this writing the condition of Mr. J. L. Crosset is very serious, he having suffered another stroke of paralysis Saturday afternoon.

E. L. Morris is home from a trip through the delta.

During the present vacation of the local public school an addition will be added to the building affording room for another teacher and more pupils for the coming season.

Mrs. Willie Stevenson is again with us after an extended stay with relatives in Saltillo, Miss.

Miss Lucille Pearce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pearce, has returned to her duties in Humboldt.

Prof. and Mrs. A. J. Bobbit are visiting relatives in Lexington this week.

Among recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wright were, Mrs. J. T. Low of Jackson, and Mrs. Wright of Maud, Miss.

Miss Lena Morris returned to her home here during the past week.

The condition of Mr. C. H. Rich necessitated his being taken to Memphis for treatment Monday.

Another sad death Sunday, May 18, was that of little Irene Wright, aged about three years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Wright. For some unknown reason the Lord saw best to take this lovely child from his dear ones here to himself, yet no efforts were spared to bring her back to health. Our people to a person shared with the fond parents their grief and loss and keenly felt the going of this sweet baby girl whom many of them had learned to know and love. The precious remains were tenderly laid to rest in the cemetery at Salisbury, the grave being literally covered with beautiful flowers the last and tribute of love and fond remembrance of this little one.

County Medical Society

The Fayette County Medical Society met in the Court House Tuesday May 13th, the following officers were elected: Dr. John Morris, President, Dr. L. D. McAulry Vice President, Dr. H. C. Moorman Secretary and Treas. Great enthusiasm was manifested in a practical reorganization of the Society with a goodly number of members present. The next regular meeting will be held Tuesday, June 3rd at the Court House. The general subject will be Influenza.

Dr. H. C. MOORMAN
Secretary and Treasurer,
Fayette County Medical Society.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or displace the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

Shower For Bride-Elect

Mrs. Gordon Murrell entertained a large number of friends Tuesday afternoon May 20th. The feature of the entertainment was a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Bettie Whit McFadden who is to be married to Mr. Stitt Matthews June 5th. The home was beautifully decorated with smilax and roses, the color scheme pink and white. Quite a unique contest was indulged in, the making of words of one syllable from the name, Mrs. W. T. Loggins of Somerville won the prize, a pretty box of stationery.

Mrs. Murrell sang very sweetly two choice selections, her accompaniment was played by her charming sister, Miss Louise Matthews. The prize for the "Memory Contest" was cut for by Mrs. Steele and Mrs. McFadden, Mrs. Steele being the fortunate one. Delicious ice in pink and white and white and pink heart cakes were served. The gifts were beautiful and numerous which attested the popularity of the honoree. Little Miss Evelyn Murrell was dressed as a messenger boy and delivered the gifts. Frappe was served during the afternoon. Mrs. Murrell as usual proved a charming hostess.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Centenary in Somerville.

The campaign for the Centenary Fund for Missionary work of the M. E. Church South has ended and Somerville gave 113.8 per cent of her quota, in spite of the numerous calls made upon her people for the hundred and one needs of the charities and churches and other great causes in the past few years.

The quota of the \$35,000,000 fund asked the Somerville church was \$9,000, and the subscriptions made were \$7,331 which with the Sunday School quota of \$321 and the Connectional claims for the five years \$2,592.75, make a grand total for this church of \$10,244.75 to take care of the \$9,000 assessment. This means that the church here met demands made upon it and thirteen per cent more.

This campaign was waged for eight days but in fact the whole sum subscribed except a few hundred dollars was raised on the afternoon of the first day of the drive. The committees worked with a vim and reached their goal before sunset of the first day.

Suggestion for a Camping Trip.

Buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy before leaving home. As a rule it cannot be obtained when on a hunting, fishing or prospecting trip. Neither can it be obtained while on board the cars or steamships and at such times and at such times and places it is most likely to be needed. The safe way is to have it with you.

J. J. Swift

Wednesday, May 21 a telegram to Mr. Frank M. Swift announced the death of his father, Mr. Julian J. Swift, age 67 at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, where he had been for about a week.

His remains arrived in LaGrange Friday, May 23, and were buried from the Episcopal Church in LaGrange Cemetery, the services were largely attended, Rev. N. W. Ware of Bolivar officiating. Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Susie Linear Swift, one daughter, Mrs. W. C. Robinson, Holly Springs, Miss., one son, Frank Swift, two sisters, Mrs. William Rowlett, Palmetto Fla., Mrs. P. A. Perkins, of Collierville, and brother, H. A. Swift, Memphis.

He was born near and was a former resident of LaGrange, but spent a greater portion of his life on his beautiful "Bonnie Oak Farm" south of LaGrange. The hospitality of his home, his cheerful manner will long be remembered by many friends who share in the loss and bereavement of the family. Pall bearers were W. B. Franklin, J. M. Adrich, W. P. Parham, C. L. Pankey, G. C. Williams, L. E. Anderson. "C"

Baby Show Winnings Announced.

Results of the Baby Show held at the High School here on Saturday, May 17, were announced a few days ago by the committee having the matter in charge. The entries were divided into two classes, those under three years old and those three to six years old.

There were fifty-one entries in the first class and the winnings were as follows: First prize, Robert Murray Price, age 4 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Price, Route 4, score 99.5; Second prize tied between Leo Douglass, age 10 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Douglass, Oakland, and Margaret Higgs, age 10 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Higgs, Somerville, score of each 99. Third prize tie between Margaret Burrus Matthews, age 11 months, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Burrus Matthews, Pat Nelms, age 3 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Nelms, Oakland, score of each, 98.8.

In the second class, First prize, Eleanor Crawford, age 3 years, 4 months, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Crawford, Somerville, score 99; Second prize, Polly Claxton, age 5 years, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Claxton, Somerville, score 98.9; Third prize tie between Jack Crawford, age 4 years, 11 months, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Crawford, and Beulah Allene Patterson, age 3 years, 6 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Patterson, score of each 98.5.

There were more than one hundred children present for entry into the contest and 84 went thru the entire examination, far outstripping the expectation of the committee having it in charge.

The examinations and scores were made by the following Memphis Doctors: Dr. M. B. Selegstein, and Dr. Joel Hobson, Baby Specialists, Dr. Levy, Eye, Ear and Throat Specialist, Dr. Armstrong Dentist.

The ladies and visitors present pronounce the effort a magnificent success, one of the best things gotten up in Somerville. It was brought about and its success made possible by the efforts of the Parent-Teacher Association.

A Texas Wonder.

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, diabetes weak and lame back, rheumatism and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—adv. tf

THE WOMAN'S COLLEGE

Jackson, Tenn., on the Board Plans for Two New Dormitories Strengthens Curriculum

The old Memphis Conference Female Institute which has served West Tennessee and Ky., so successfully in its line of work, for seventy-six years, gives way to The Woman's College. The plans of the Methodist Church, to whom this school belongs, is to raise its standard to that of an A Grade Woman's College. It will then have a field all its own. For there is not an A Grade Woman's College in all this territory, embracing at least 50,000 sq. miles. Plans have been laid for two new dormitories, to be erected on the new site composed of one hundred acres of land, overlooking the city of Jackson. The old buildings will be repaired for the present year, as it will be impossible to get into the new buildings before next summer.

The old buildings will accommodate only one hundred girls, and no registration will be accepted after that number has been enrolled. When school closed the 16th of May half of the rooms had already been taken.

Beginning with the 7th grade, the College offers four years High School and three of College. The last year is altogether composed of elective studies. It has one of the best Conservatories of the South, offering all the different branches of Music, Expression and Art at a much lower rate than is to be obtained elsewhere. For further information write E. R. Naylor, President, Jackson, Tenn. adv

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

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Chapter 640, Senate Bill No. 1173.

(BY SUMMERS)

An Act to authorize and empower the board of Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Somerville, Tennessee, to issue coupon bonds for five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for the purpose of street improvement and extending and improving the system of works and electric light plant heretofore established and now in operation and owned by said town.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, that the Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Somerville, Tennessee, are hereby authorized and empowered in its corporate capacity to issue interest bearing coupons, with the coupons attached, said bonds to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Recorder of said town, (but the coupon attached to said bonds shall bear the lithographed signatures of said Mayor and Recorder) under its corporate seal in an amount not to exceed five thousand (\$5,000) dollars or such part thereof as they may find necessary and to negotiate and sell the same for the purpose of raising money to pay for street improvement, and to extend, equip and otherwise improve the system of water works and electric light plant heretofore established, and now in operation and owned by said town said bonds when so issued shall be known and designated as "Street and Water and Light Extension Bonds."

Section 2. Be it further enacted, That said bonds shall be issued in such denomination as the Mayor and Aldermen may desire and order and shall mature at twenty years from date of issuance, and shall bear interest not to exceed six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, provided, that none of said bonds shall be sold for less than the par value of the same.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That after the issuance of said bonds the Mayor and Aldermen of said town are hereby authorized and empowered to levy and collect annually a special tax not to exceed twenty-five cents on the one hundred dollars on the assessed valuation of all taxable property within the corporate limits of said town, and to levy and the tax on privileges within the corporate limits of said town for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to create a fund with which to pay off and redeem the bonds herein authorized to be issued.

Section 4—Be it further enacted, that the above bond tax shall be collected and paid over to the Treasurer of the said town as other taxes, and shall be paid out by said Treasurer when the interest coupons are presented to him for payment, or when ordered by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to pay same on said bonds. Said bonds and coupons when taken up by said Treasurer shall be his voucher to said Board of Mayor and Aldermen and the same shall be cancelled as other vouchers are cancelled.

Section 5—Be it further enacted, that the date of issuance, number and amount of each of said bonds, when due, and the amount and number of each coupon and when due and to whom sold shall be entered by the recorder of the town in a well bound book and when the same is paid and cancelled, the said recorder shall enter, stating the date the same was paid and cancelled.

Section 6—Be it further enacted, that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this Act take effect from and after its passage, it is public welfare requiring it.

Passed April 15th, 1919.

ANDREW L. TODD,
Speaker of the Senate.

SETH M. WALKER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Approved April 11th, 1919.

A. H. ROBERTS, Governor.

About Rheumatism

People are learning that it is only a waste of time and money to take medicine internally for chronic and muscular rheumatism, and about ninety-nine out of a hundred cases are one or the other of these varieties. All that is really necessary to afford relief is to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely. Try it. It costs but 35 cents per bottle. Large size 60 cents. adv.

Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to the people of Moscow for their kindness and sympathy during our recent bereavement in the illness and death of our dear brother.

THE SISTERS OF WM. T. LUCAS.

High School Teachers Elected

At a meeting of the County High School Board held at the court house last Monday the following teachers were re-elected for another year to their places in the faculty of the Fayette County High School: Prof. Burrus Matthews, principal, Mrs. B. R. Robinson, Domestic Science, T. O. Nowlin, French and Mathematics, Miss Mamie Taylor, English and History. Prof. E. S. Rounton, present agriculture teacher was not an applicant for re-election and intends to move to his farm near Paris at the close of this season, we are told.

The teacher of Agriculture is to be chosen by a committee appointed for that purpose and composed of W. M. Mayo, Chairman of the Board, W. G. Snelton and the County Superintendent. A large number of applications are before the committee for consideration. The salary of the Agricultural teacher was fixed at \$1500 per year, one half of which will be paid by the U. S. Government from the Smith-Hughes Vocational Agricultural Fund, and he will be required to give full twelve months to the work, teaching in the school and conducting plot work and community work throughout the county.

Every member of the present faculty asking re-election was re-elected, attesting in the strongest possible way the satisfaction at the conduct of the school the past year. The Board and Superintendent feel that the past year has been in several respects the most satisfactory in several years past, the character of the work being good and complying strictly with the laws of the state for First Class High Schools.

Few years in the history of any school has been set with more breaks and unavoidable interruptions. First there was delay in opening on account of the new building not being ready. When school did open for real work, that very day the influenza quarantine was declared and a full month was lost. One member of the faculty has suffered since Christmas with effects of the disease and has not been able to resume her work. It has been a year of ups and downs, and yet has been a good year. Nothing appears on the school horizon to mar next year's work, and the prospect is for surpassing the good work of the present year. Misses Lucy Wetzel and Fannie Joe Latta were elected at a recent meeting of the County Board and the primary teacher is yet to be chosen, Miss Higgs not being an applicant.

For a Weak Stomach

As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet suited to your age and occupation and to keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

One Co-operative Shipment

"Well, the trip with the pigs to St. Louis was all right. We reached there Sunday a. m., had the hogs unloaded at 11 a. m. and fed by 11:30 a. m. gave them eight bushels of corn in morning and four later on in day. Home weights were 18,477, and St. Louis weights were 17,830, a difference of 647, or about five pounds per head. Three pigs bought \$20.25, two \$20.00, fifty-seven \$19.50, thirty-one \$18.50, one \$17.50, one \$16.50 and one \$15. The butchers offered 15 cents for the best of the material that was shipped; same brought \$20 in St. Louis. Pigs would have brought at home at 15 cents \$2,754.90; in St. Louis they brought \$3,377.37 gross. Expense was \$131.14, leaving a net profit, over Jackson market, of \$491.33. People are delighted over the success of the sale.

"Earle Leeper saved \$8.94 on his club pig of 210 pounds. J. F. Taylor saved \$10.05 on one sow by shipping. R. S. Fletcher saved \$19.89 on two pigs by shipping. LeRoy Person saved \$13.70 on one sow."—A Madison County, Tennessee, Livestock Man.

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Chapter 687, Senate Bill No. 961

(BY SUMMERS)

An act to make women over the age of twenty-one years eligible to be appointed and to serve as Deputy Clerks of any of the Courts in the State of Tennessee in counties having a population of not less than 30,250 nor more than 30,260 according to the Federal Census of 1910 or any subsequent Federal Census.

Section 1—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee that females over the age of twenty-one years residents of the county where appointed, shall be eligible to be appointed as Deputy Clerks of any of the Courts in the State of Tennessee, in counties having a population of not less than 30,250 nor more than 30,260, according to the Federal Census of 1910 or any subsequent Federal Census, and to serve as such Deputies with all the right and powers, obligations and liabilities of other Deputy Clerks.

Section 2—Be it further enacted that this Act take place from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it. Passed April 12th, 1919.

ANDREW L. TODD,
Speaker of the Senate.

SETH M. WALKER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Approved April 16th, 1919.

A. H. ROBERTS, Governor.

Chapter 676, Senate Bill No. 1124.

(BY SUMMERS)

An Act to authorize counties of this State having a population of not more than 30,260 and not less than 30,250 inhabitants by the Federal Census of 1910 or any subsequent Federal Census to fix by the County Court of said counties, at the January term salaries of the county Assessors of said counties at not less than one hundred dollars per annum, and not more than fifteen hundred dollars per annum, the salaries so fixed to be paid out of the county treasury.

Section 1—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Tennessee, that all counties in this state having a population of not more than 30,260 and not less than 30,250 by the Federal Census of 1910, or any subsequent Federal Census, are authorized to fix by their County court at their January term, the salaries of their county assessors at not less than \$100.00 per annum, and not more than \$1,500.00 per annum which salaries are to be paid out of the County Treasury.

Section 2—Be it further enacted, that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 3—Be it further enacted, that this Act take effect from and after January 1st, 1920, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed April 14, 1919.

ANDREW L. TODD,
Speaker of the Senate.

SETH M. WALKER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Approved April 15, 1919.

A. H. ROBERTS, Governor.

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Special Election at Oakland.

By virtue of the authority vested in us as the Election Commissioners for Fayette county, State of Tennessee, we hereby order that an election be opened and held within legal hours in the Corporation of Oakland, in said county and state, on Saturday June 14, 1919, for the purpose of electing a Corporation Magistrate for said town of Oakland.

And for the purpose of holding said election the following officers, judges and clerks are appointed: Officer, J. C. Kelly, Judges, J. N. Clay, Geo. DuPre Jr., F. Q. Irwin, Clerks, E. S. Matthews and J. G. Smith, Registrars, Alvin DuPre.

F. B. MOORMAN, Chairman,
W. T. LOGGINS, Secretary,
W. S. LATTY,
Election Commissioners.

This May 29, 1919.

The Falcon \$1.50 a year.